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Title: SPEED REDUCER FOR USE IN YAW DRIVE APPARATUS FOR  
WIND POWER GENERATION APPARATUS, AND YAW DRIVE  
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR WIND POWER GENERATION  
APPARATUS USING THE SPEED REDUCER

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

The following Amendment and Remarks is being submitted in response to a final Office Action (paper no. 20080910), dated September 12, 2008. This paper is being timely filed by January 12, 2009, in view of the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time (one month). Kindly amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as follows:

**Amendments to and Listing of the Claims:** begin on page 2; and

**Remarks and Conclusion:** begin on page 9.